whom Government did not want to retain are sent on deputation to the Central Government ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—It is absolutely incorrect.

Sri G. VENKATAI GOWDA.—The Hon'ble Chief Minister was pleased to say that they could call back these I.C.S. officers whenever they wanted; May I know whether Government at any time insisted on getting back these two I.C.S. Officers Sri Nayak and Sri Nanjappa ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—It is very difficult to reply. This subject is under correspondence.

Sri C. J. MUCKANNAPPA.—The Chief Minister was jubilant when the Speaker did not permit me to put my question. I want to put this question. Is it in your opinion that the services of Sri C. B. Sankara Iyer and Sri N. Lakshman Rau are lent to the Government of India ?

Sri B. D. JATTI.—They are on deputation. I may inform the Hon'ble Member Sri Muckkannappa that I am not dejected as he thinks. (*Laughter*).

Construction of pick-up on a halla near Hiriyur in Holalkere Taluk.

*Q.—14. Sri G. SIVAPPA (Chitradurga).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether there is a proposal to construct a pick-up for a halla near Hiriyur in Holalkere Taluk in Chitradurga District;

(*b*) if so, at what stage the estimate is pending ?

A.—Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The estimate prepared for this pick-up is under scrutiny.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—Since how long it is pending ?

†Sri M. N. NAGHNOOR (Deputy Minister for Public Works).—Since 24th March 1959.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—It is not a fact; it is a wrong date. May I know the estimated cost of this pick-up ?

†Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—I am sorry for the remarks.

Sri G. S.VAPPA.—I know the facts.

Sri C. J. MUCKANNAPPA.—Before you feel sorry you must answer his question.

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA.—Please have the patience to hear me. An estimate was prepared and submitted by the Assistant Engineer on 24th March 1959. Unless the contrary is proved I am sorry it will not be correct to say that it is incorrect.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Yes, he cannot say that.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—As local people we know that. Since what time the estimate is being prepared ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—What is the use of arguing ? Please put a question.

Sri G. SIVAPPA.—May I know when this will be sanctioned ?

Sri M. N. NAGHNOOR.—When it is found feasible.

Restoration of Breached Tank near Hanumali in Holalkere Taluk.

*Q.—15. Sri G. SIVAPPA (Chitradurga).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether the people of Hanumali in Holalkere Taluk are urging to restore a breached tank near their village ;

(*b*) if so, whether the estimate is completed;

(*c*) whether it is a fact that the Minister for P.W.D. visited the spot ?

A.—Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—

(*a*) Yes; in respect of conversion of a breached Gokatte into an Irrigation tank.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Yes.